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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Jonathan Meigs, et al.

Docket: 30-4590 (4950)

Serial Number: 09/361,458

Group Art Unit: 2832

Filed: July 27, 1999

Examiner: Karl Easthom

For: COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING INTEGRAL

RESISTORS IN PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARDS

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above captioned application. The fee has been calculated below.

<u>Petition for Extension of Time:</u> The Applicant(s) hereby petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office Action mailed September 12, 2003 to March 12, 2004. A one month extension of time was paid which extended the time for response to January 12, 2004. This submission extends the time for response an additional two months until March 12, 2004.

The following fee is applicable:

 \boxtimes Ext. fee for response within 3rd month (\$950.00-\$110.00) = \$840.00.

Request for continued examination (RCE).

770.00

TOTAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT

\$1,610.00

Please accept payment in the amount of \$1,610.00 by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed). The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1589.

Respectfully submitted,

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